

LIQUOR FUDDLED REDMEN

DEEDED AWAY LANDS
WHILE UNDER IN-
FLUENCE OF LIQUOR

KICKING KICKAPOOS
GIVE TESTIMONY

Senate Committee Fraud
Probers Examine Number
of Witnesses

Special to Daily Leader.

Earle, Pa., Tex., Nov. 5.—The subcommittee of the senate committee on Indian affairs, consisting of Senators Teller, Curtis and La Follette, who are investigating the charges of fraud in connection with the sale of land in Oklahoma belonging to the Kickapoo Indians have examined a number of witnesses since the inquiry opened here. A large number of Kickapoo are here from their reservation in Mexico and their testimony is to the effect that they signed the deeds to their lands while laboring under undue influence. According to testimony given before the committee, many Indians were drunk when they signed the deeds to their land.

It was brought out in the testimony of an Indian that the Indians were under the impression that the San Francisco lands belonged to them, but found that they were deeded to one Hunter. Hunter told them, according to the testimony of one Menchaca, that the lands were in his name for the Indians' protection. There were 20,000 acres in this tract, of which Hunter is said to have a sixth.

Much testimony was adduced to establish the marriage of an Indian maiden, Quonau. She declared that she had gone to Earle, Pa., under the advice of an aged woman to marry one Naha, that she might receive some money. The girl said she merely stood up with Naha and held his hand. She received no money, she said, but Naha got \$50.

The cashier of the First National bank testified that he knew a party he saw in company with certain Kickapoo Indians last year. They were trading for land, he said, and money was deposited in his bank by Indians. He said some of the Indians were drunk when depositing and withdrawing the money.

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Territory of Oklahoma, County of Logan, ss.

In the District Court I and for said County and Territory.

Notice of Publication.

Augustus Palmquist, Plaintiff,

vs.

Johannah Palmquist, Defendant.

Said defendant, Johannah Palmquist, will take notice that she has been sued in the above named court in an action for divorce brought by the above named plaintiff, and that she must answer to the petition filed therein by said plaintiff on or before the 28th day of December, 1907, or said petition will be taken as true and judgment for said plaintiff will be rendered accordingly.

J. H. NORRIS,

(Seal), Clerk District Court.

By STELLA ROBERTS,

Attorney for Plaintiff.

Gustave A. Elison, Deputy.

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TODAY IN THE DEPARTMENTS.

Charters issued.

Charters were issued from the office of the territorial secretary this morning to the following corporations:

The E. M. Corns company, of Oklahoma City, with \$25,000 capital stock. The directors are: Ed N. Corns and Addison Corns, of Chicago; A. J. McMahon, of Oklahoma City.

The Mangum City Hospital company, of Mangum, with \$25,000 capital stock. The directors are: Dr. G. F. Borden, Dr. J. S. McFadden, Dr. J. A. F. Campbell, of Mangum, and Dr. T. J. Hootsley, of Vinson, Okla.

The Crude Oil Barber company, of Tonkawa, with \$200,000 capital stock. The directors are: Monroe Davis, B. Cochran and G. A. Hummiker, of Tonkawa; Webb Phillips, of Letha.

The Elmhurst Livery company, of Oklahoma City and Chicago, with \$25,000 capital stock. The directors are: W. Wyers and Minnie Wyers, of Chicago; A. J. McMahon, of Oklahoma City.

Notary Commission issued.

A notary commission was issued to W. M. Johnson, of Hammond, for Custer county.

Dental Board to Meet.

Dr. A. C. Hixon left last evening for Oklahoma City to attend a meeting of the Oklahoma board of dental examiners which will conduct examinations this Wednesday and Thursday of this week. This will be the last session of the board before statehood and they expect to wind up their affairs at this meeting as a new set of officers will be appointed under the new regime. The board is composed of Dr. Derrick, Oklahoma City, president; Dr. Hixon, Guthrie, secretary; Dr. Shields, Perry; and Dr. Brennan, of Hobart.

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TAFT CALLS OFF TOUR.

(By Associated Press.)

Manila, Nov. 5.—Secretary Taft will, it is reported, abandon the European tour and return direct to the Pacific coast, leaving Manila on November 5.

KILLED BY BURGLARS.

(By Associated Press.)

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 5.—James W. Alaway, a wealthy commission merchant of Los Angeles, was killed by burglars early today at the home of his brother in South Waller avenue. The burglars escaped.

Mrs. E. E. Dillon and children from Wichita, Kansas, are visiting at the J. D. Reed home on Washington avenue.

THE NEW REGIME

The county judges-elect of the new state met in Oklahoma City Monday, November 11th, to organize and appoint a committee on legislation to get certain measures passed by the first state legislature.

Governor-elect C. S. Haskell is in favor of a rigid disbarment law. He advocates the management of the county dispensaries similar to that of a postoffice, paying a small salary and making it an exclusive store and not a grade bringer.

John Ingram, representative-elect from Klaffisher county is in the city mixing with state officials and politicians. Mr. Ingram is well known in Oklahoma. He is a rough rider and was chaplain for the Oklahoma volunteers during the Spanish American war, and took no the gun before the war was over. He is the present chairman of the Oklahoma Spanish War Veterans association. He is also a civil war veteran.

Ed Cassidy of Shawnee, secretary of the Democratic central committee was in the city last evening mixing with politicians.

Delegate Geo. A. Henshaw of Madill, is in the city conferring with state officers and members of the state legislature.

Delegate L. J. Miteh of Oklahoma City is here today conferring with the different state officials-elect and talking with the politicians.

Delegate J. E. Sater, of Stillwater, one of the twelve apostles of the constitutional convention, is here today and was a caller at Governor Haskell's quarters.

Notice has been served on C. D. Carter, congressman-elect from the Fourth district, who won by 15,000 majority that a contest will be filed by Z. T. Disney, Republican, defeated candidate, on the grounds that he can not qualify under the constitution, alleging that he has not been a citizen of the United States for seven years. Carter is of 7-16 Cherokee and Choctaw Indian blood and was admitted to citizenship under the act passed by congress in 1901 the earliest possible moment he could have been declared a citizen. Attorney W. A. Ledbetter, of Ardmore, will represent congressman Carter in the contest.

Geo. C. Whitehurst, representative from Beckham county, was in the city yesterday arranging quarters for the winter. Mr. Whitehurst expects the legislature to be in session by the 1st or 3rd of December. When asked what he thought of the speaker's contest, he said that there would be but one name presented, that of Hon. Wm. H. Murray, of Tishomingo. That the people of his new state are not unkindful of the services rendered the people as president of the constitutional convention and that it would be only a deserved tribute to elect him speaker without a contest.

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WILL NOT SELL SCHOOL PROPERTIES

Public Buildings Belonging
to Five Civilized Tribes
Will Not Be Disposed of
For Some Time.

Tecumseh, Okla., Nov. 5.—On Wednesday night some unknown person or persons dug a hole about four feet deep near the corner of the house occupied by Mr. M. H. Tension, of this city and evidently took up some hidden treasure. The hole was dug with a post auger and the parties must have known exactly where to dig as only one hole was made.

At the bottom of the hole is a large flat rock and on this rock a tin or iron bucket was resting; the bucket was so much rusted that it was not possible to tell what it contained. There was found in the dirt that was taken out, a piece of metal that looks like a part of a brooch or the face of a watch but it is too much covered with rust to tell much about it.

The rain prevented tracking the parties and up to date no clue has been found except the fact that when Mr. Tension returned from town in the afternoon he found a Mexican prowling around the place who claimed to be looking for a job at cutting wood.

The Mexican has been here for weeks running a chile joint. Mr. Tension agreed to give him a job and he was to have returned the next day but did not show up. This and a few other things leads to the belief that the Mexican is the party who dug the hole, but what he took there from and who out it there is a mystery. The hole was dug about ten feet from the corner of the house and right close to a large oak tree. There is a mark on the tree near the ground which shows that a notch was at one time cut there. This was evidently a long time ago. The place was once owned by a Mr. Otto, and is just outside the city limits.

4 Bargain Table of Shoes, at 50 cts., 98 cts., \$1.39 and \$1.98; save money on your shoes at Robinson's.

Congratulations Judge Cottrell.

Congratulations are being showered on John Cottrell, who will be appointed Judge of the United States federal court for life. "Haven't heard it officially yet," said Judge Cottrell.

CARNIVAL TO GO ON, SAY MERCHANTS

Business men of the city met at the lone hotel last night and discussed the carnival, money matters and other interests. It was decided, by the merchants, that the carnival must go on. The matter of cotton buying was brought up. All cotton dealers reported that they had quit buying. Since cotton is the chief staple here, such an announcement created a semi-panic. Cotton buyers stated they had issued certificates which had been turned down by the banks, hence they had decided to buy no more cotton on the streets, because a number of merchants and bankers had refused to accept the thirty and sixty day time certificates in payment for merchandise and all debts, greatly disappointing the people who had received them.

The matter was discussed very thoroughly and about thirty merchants present and all the bankers expressed a willingness to do everything possible to float this currency as the only means at hand to keep the local markets open.

A committee composed of five bankers and five merchants was appointed to devise a plan for the purchase of cotton and other products from the farmers. This committee is composed of U. C. Guss, J. W. McNeal, Arthur Meyer, A. L. Cockrum and A. R. Eastman on behalf of the banks, and A. O. Farquharson, F. O. Lutz, J. H. Rucks, J. J. Houston and Lou Beland on behalf of the merchants. This committee will renew the scheme to buy cotton and other products on thirty or sixty days time certificates and merchants and others agree to receive these for payment of merchandise and other debts.

The meeting produced a better understanding about this new asset currency of the banks and clearing house in the city. It was generally agreed that all that this currency would be worth is the same as cash in every way. It was agreed that this was the only way to prevent business stagnation and to keep open the arteries of trade.

PRESIDENT PLEASANTLY GREETED.

Disier Bay, Nov. 5.—The President arrived here this afternoon from Washington and voted. He was greeted pleasantly by persons about the voting place.

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A Word of Appreciation

Guthrie Bankers Extend Thanks to Business and Laboring Interests

We, the bankers of Guthrie, desire to express to the business men, farmers, laborers and to every bank depositor in the territory tributary to Guthrie, our appreciation of their loyal treatment and steadfast friendship during the past week.

When on last Monday morning we were notified by our reserve agents in Kansas City, St. Louis, Chicago and New York that no more currency could be sent us until the panic in New York had subsided, we were obliged to follow their plan and suspend business, in order to maintain local stability and protect our customers. The business men immediately averted what might otherwise have become a serious situation by announcing their willingness to accept checks upon Guthrie banks for all accounts and merchandise.

Their splendid action has made it possible for business to continue in normal conditions. They met a disagreeable situation with courage and good judgment, and reduced to a minimum the discomfort in business caused by the unexpected tying up of currency.

The outlook for a bettering of conditions grows brighter each day. The most propitious aspect of the entire situation is the concerted action on the part of the financial institutions of the entire country showing that the situation is thoroughly understood by the great body of people and that because of this understanding and this unanimity of action, the real crisis has been passed and the people of the country have stopped all semblance of a panic condition. Confidence, patience, foresight and appreciation of the meaning of community of interests have bridged the chasm.

NATIONAL BANK OF COMMERCE,
J. W. McNeal, President.

GUTHRIE NATIONAL BANK,
U. C. Guss, President.

GUTHRIE SAVINGS BANK,
A. A. Byers, Cashier.

OKLAHOMA STATE BANK,
A. R. Eastman, President.

LOGAN COUNTY BANK,
A. L. Cockrum, President.

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